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Applicant : Simard, et al.
App. No. : 10/777,053
Filed : February 10, 2004
For : EXPRESSION VECTORS
ENCODING EPITOPES OF
TARGET-ASSOCIATED
ANTIGENS AND METHODS
FOR THEIR DESIGN
Examiner : Unknown
Group Art Unit : Unknown

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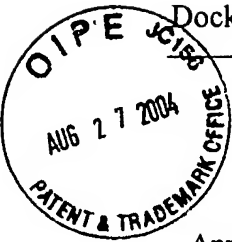
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement in one (1) page.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 listing and enclosing two (2) references.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing two (2) references that are also enclosed.

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